

STONE & THOMAS.

Weather Forecast for To-day—Fair.

STONE & THOMAS.

A Week of Dress Goods
.....Selling.....

It's to be a clearance sale in this department and some exceptional inducements are offered in HIGH CLASS DRESS GOODS.

Ninety-Eight Cents a Yard

for these, some of which are worth three times as much and more.

Most people have learned to believe the statements in our newspaper advertising; if YOU haven't, investigate the value of these goods and be convinced.

Silk Wool Grenadines, which formerly sold for \$2.50 and \$3.50 per yard—

This Week Per Yard 98c.

56-inch Gray and Black Cheviots, sold for \$1.25 and \$1.50—

This Week Per Yard 98c.

52-inch Broadcloths, the \$1.25 quality—

This Week Per Yard 98c.

56-inch Skirting Plaids, sold at \$1.75—

This Week Per Yard 98c.

52-inch Plaid Back Suitings, the \$1.50 quality—

This Week Per Yard 98c.

Special offerings in every department every day this week. A visit to the store will benefit you.

STONE & THOMAS.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

NAY BROTHERS—SHOES.



SLIPPERS and OXFORDS.

are greatly in evidence these warm days. What can be more dressy or comfortable than a pair of perfect fitting Slippers or Oxfords—the kind we sell. Big quality at reasonable prices will be found here. \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 up.

NAY BROS., 1317 Market St.

NICOLL'S ART STORE.

Gift Pictures.

For any occasion a picture is appropriate and acceptable. Weddings and Commencements—for these we have bought a large assortment and invite you to see them.

NICOLL'S ART STORE.....

The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

For Sale—Stimpson & Tatum. The Republic Glass Company. Wanted—Coal Lands. Wanted—Girl for Housework. A Special in Wash Goods To-day—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Fifth Page. A Story in a Window—The Hub—Eighth Page. Every Man to His Liking—Kraus Bros.—Fifth Page. Our June Mark-Down Sale—Geo. R. Taylor Co.—Eighth Page. A Week of Dress Goods Selling—Stone & Thomas—Eighth Page. Special—Foster & Watkins—Second Page. The Law Library—C. H. Quimby. Hundreds—R. H. List. Ladies Are Critical—White Swan Laundry. Hammock Weather—Frank Stanton. Special Blend Tea—H. F. Behrens Co. Gas Ranges—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons. For Rent—James A. Henry. Funeral Notice—Fifth Page. Gift Pictures—Nicoll's Art Store—Eighth Page.

20,000.

We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician, No. 1306 Market Street.

NEW! NEW! NEW!

Our second invoice of Foreign and Domestic Woollens for Spring Suitings. Excellence in fit, finish and workmanship.

C. HESS & SONS, Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1321-1323 Market St.

Water Rents Are Due.

Water rents for the six months ending September 30, 1900, are now ready. If paid on or before June 30, 1900, a discount of 10 per cent will be allowed. THE CITY WATER BOARD.

Retail Grocers' Outing.

Next Thursday the local Retail Grocers will give their annual Grocers' Day at Mozart Park. The committee in charge has completed all the arrangements for the occasion. A programme of amusements will be rendered during the afternoon, providing for young and old. Special bowling prizes have been offered. The concert and dancing music will be rendered by Mayer's band.

Company A's Outing.

About twenty members of Company A went to the country yesterday in heavy marching order and pitched tents and put in the day at camp. They took their lunch along, together with meat pans. Fires were lighted and each member did his own cooking. Those who attended are enthusiastic over the pleasant day spent and it is likely that about every other Sunday will be agreed upon for this work. The encampment took place on ex-Sheriff Louis Steenrod's farm, to whom thanks are extended for its use.

To-night is the company's regular drill; something new is to be sprung and a full attendance is expected.

Death of Mrs. Schopper.

The funeral of Mrs. Hermana Schopper, widow of the late E. Schopper, whose death occurred on Saturday morning at her home, No. 1067 Main street, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Schopper died of two shocks of paralysis. Her loss will be mourned by many. She was a member of the St. John German Lutheran church. She was always ready to assist in sickness, no matter when or where. Mrs. Schopper was in her seventy-fifth year at the time of her death. There are four daughters left to mourn her loss. They are: Mrs. George Friedel, Misses Anna H. Alice and Lavenda M. Schopper, who have the sympathy of friends in their bereavement.

WE have a fine second-hand Kranich & Bach upright piano which belongs to a party who has left the city and placed it in our hands for sale. If you want a bargain call and see it. F. W. BAUMER CO.



When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A day occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office. Do you have headaches? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading? For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

PROF. H. SHEEF,

The Scientific Optician..... Cor. Main and Eleventh Sts.

CITY POLITICS.

Democrats Are Considering Lambs for the January Sacrifice.

THE WATER BOARD VACANCY

Brings Out a Bunch of Aspirants From the South Side, Anxious to Succeed the Late A. H. Weidensch. Louis Staib, Charles Rohrig, Chris. Vieweg, Dr. Haskins and Joseph Hoffman Are Named.

Although the city election does not occur until next January and is somewhat obscured by the smoke of the November battle, yet there are tongues to be found wagging on the probable line-ups for the municipal fray. The untutored Democracy seems to be manifesting greater interest in this affair than in the general election, while the Republicans are satisfied to take things as they come, hence at present are chiefly concerned in their duty and the duty of all good citizens to elect the Republican ticket in November, and after that will come due consideration of the city.

The Democratic nominee will be Mayor Andrew T. Sweeney for mayor, the talk of opposition to his renomination having died away. Messrs. John Waterhouse and Frank Gruse, who were spoken of, say they will not run, and His Honor made himself "solid" with the boys on the recent river pilgrimage to the Parkersburg convention. He was chairman of the Ohio county delegation and did great work in behalf of "Joe" Handlan for the auditorial nomination. The anti-Sweeney Democrats tried to beat him for delegate to that convention, from Madison district, and again for the chairmanship of the county delegation, but he won with hands down from the Methusalehs of his party, the younger element sticking closer to him than a brother.

For city clerk the Democrats will be asked to choose between Manager W. H. Paul, of the Opera House band, and of "Who is Paul?" fame in 1898, and City Editor Fred W. Colmar, of the Staats Zeitung. The indications are that Colmar will win out. While it would seem that Mr. Paul should be entitled to the nomination because he was the party's candidate two years ago, he is lacking in the support of the machine, which is behind Brother Colmar. The latter has the support of the leaders and is slated for the honor. In case the Democrats are to be successful, and which is likely by no means, Paul is to be appeased with the clerkship on one of the municipal boards.

For chief of police, John "Stoney" Ritz will, from present indications, be renominated. He has been making a very quiet canvass.

The princely job of wharfmaster will likely go to Henry Bruner, who was defeated at the last municipal election.

Chairman Charles Ahl, of the Democratic city committee, is now working at Newark, Ohio, where he has a position with the Jewett Car Company, which is composed of Wheeling men, and as he will be unable to attend to the chairmanship, his successor will be named shortly.

Interest in the filling of the vacancy in the city water board, caused by the death of the Democratic member, Mr. A. H. Weidensch, is increasing daily. A number of names have been mentioned, including Messrs. Louis Staib, Charles Rohrig, Christian Vieweg, Jr. and Dr. T. M. Haskins, of the Eighth ward, and Mr. Joseph Hoffman, of the Fifth ward.

The fight is getting bitter as the time for electing a new member draws near. Councilman Charles Bachman, of the Fifth ward, is pushing the name of Joseph Hoffman, and argues that the Fifth ward should have the place again. The Eighth ward councilmen are not united on any one candidate, which will result in a probable caucus being held, as many Republican leaders fear that the Democratic members of council may make a strategic move if the matter is brought up in open council and elect an undesirable man for the important place.

There were about one hundred aboard the Baltimore & Ohio train that left Wheeling Saturday afternoon for the Philadelphia convention, and the Elkins boom for Vice President was given a boost. Streamers inscribed "McKinley and Elkins" decorated the two special coaches and Elkins badges fluttered from the coat lapels of the pilgrims. In the party were a couple of Democrats who took advantage of the excursion, and in the crowd were the following:

Col. Morris Horkheimer, A. A. Carney, A. W. Whiteshot, Congressman B. B. Dovenor, Sheriff H. C. Richards, County Chairman W. H. Hornish, Sheriff G. W. McCleary, of Brooke county; Constable Dominick Morris, Postmaster George Work, of Sistersville; Circuit Clerk C. H. Henning, City Solicitor George C. H. Hall, Boyce, City Collector James K. Hall, Hon. Harry W. McLaugh, E. Buckman, J. V. Dickey, H. F. McNabb, John Frew, J. J. Kamm, George Doubler, J. E. Hooten and Albert Hooten, of Moundsville; Dr. L. N. Renfer, William Welty, W. E. Irvine, C. D. Verner, P. A. Shaner, W. Armstrong, C. D. Zerner, J. F. Hornbrook, R. M. Archer, Allan B. Smith, M. A. Chew, Robert Teasdale, F. P. McNell, Capt. Daniel U. O'Brien, of Gilmer county; W. L. Armstrong, of Sistersville.

In a listless convention held at Moundsville Saturday, Marshall county Democrats named by acclamation Francis V. Yoho, for sheriff; C. A. Showaere for prosecuting attorney; J. W. Yoho and Russell Dorsey for house of delegates, and R. L. Dakan for county commissioner. They go to this trouble every four years.

WE have several fine second-hand square pianos which we will put in first class condition and sell at a price that will astonish you. F. W. BAUMER CO.

SHADE TREES, extra large. Ornamental and bedding plants at lowest prices. Catalogue free. Reid's Nurseries, Tel. 55, Bridgeport, Ohio. mwf

WE are now selling the Graphophone Grand at \$30 which formerly sold at \$100. Also full line of Graphophone Grand Records at \$1.00, former price \$1.50. F. W. BAUMER CO.

THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

A Story
In.....
A Window.

It's a story that's being well read there these days—a tale of new fashions, of well cut and good fitting garments and small prices. Everyone is interested in it, and crowds gather before it daily. It's in our show window. If you haven't seen it we invite you to read carefully and thoughtfully. If you're not already one of our customers, it will mean a revolution in your wardrobe and your tailor's bills. It will show you conclusively that for

\$7.50, \$10, \$12, \$15 or \$18

we can sell you a suit which no tailor in the city will match for double the money. Your money back at any time you say so.

THE HUB,

Fourteenth and Market Streets.

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

A Suit Chance

that will suit the most exacting. Too Many and Must Go are the four words that tell the story.

\$7.85

for \$10 and \$12 Suits.

We have an excess of Spring Suits and recognize the truth that heroic efforts must be made to reduce this stock, and have adopted the well-known BAER method to reduce it—"CUT PRICE." We make this price on a hundred All-Wool Suits, tan and gray Cheviots, Cassimeres and Worsteds and GUARANTEED TRUE BLUE SERGES. Every Suit of this season's making. Come and take your pick of \$10 \$7.85. and \$12 Suits for \$7.85.

Lee Baer,

TWELFTH STREET CLOTHING HOUSE.

GEO. R. TAYLOR CO.

Geo. R. Taylor Co.
1150 MAIN ST.Our June Mark-Down Sale of
Handsome Black and Colored
Dress Suitings and Silks.....BEGINS
TO-DAY.

Novelties in pattern suits, as Crepes, Crepe de Chine, Embroidered Crepes, Grenadine, Berages, Etamines, Figured and Stripe Effects, in pastel and solid shades, as well as blacks. Every pattern different, every pattern new, while the color range is complete.

BLACK, PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS

in full dress or waist lengths, blocked off in three distinct lines, and marked at just about one-half price.

WASH SILKS.

The best that are made, and the kind that brought 39c Yard 50c before, at.....

Geo. R. Taylor Co.
1150 MAIN ST.

LOCKE SHOE CO.

BIG SALE ON MEN'S TAN SHOES.

All Men's Tan Vici Kid and Russia Calf Shoes that were \$2.50 and \$3.00 go in this sale at.... \$2.00

All Men's Tan Vici Kid and Willow Calf Shoes that were \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 go in this sale at... \$2.50

Early Buyers
Get the Best
Bargains.

LOCKE
SHOE CO.10 CENTS PER WEEK
THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER.Skeleton
Homespun
Skirts.

No linings in them, are therefore about one-half the weight of regular skirts! Are dressy, cool, comfortable and, unlike ordinary summer skirts, require no washing.

Come in various shades of grey, made with double inverted plaits at back and twelve-inch kilts at bottom of front gore.

Truly a superb skirt at this low price..... \$3.95.

Plainer Skirts made of same material with thin linings at..... \$3.75

PURE LINEN SKIRTS 98c to \$3.90. WHITE PIQUE SKIRTS \$1.98 to \$8.90.

White Waists

with clusters of tucks and embroidery down front at.....

89c

IMPOSSIBLE in this space to tell you about the thousand and one styles we are showing in white and colored waists, but we are prepared to prove that no better line is shown anywhere—lots of exclusive styles among them.

June Sale of Undermus- June Sale of Children's and
lins. Infants' Wear.

SUITS,

Just right for travel, are sold here at prices that in many instances don't cover the cost of materials. For instance:

Stylish Silk Lined Covert Suits at..... \$4.95
Our Very Finest Silk Lined Suits at..... \$25.00

Come in—look us over—goods shown with pleasure, whether you purchase or not.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.
1110-12-14 MAIN
THROUGH TO THE MARKET